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CITIZENS CALLED
IN MASS MEETING
THURSDAY NIGHT

Taxpayers Called to Consider Proposed \$500,000 Bond Issue For Good Roads.

TWO BUILDING PLANS
WILL BE DISCUSSED

FEDERAL AID PLAN AND THAT OF COMMISSIONER JOHNSON WILL BE THRESHED OUT AT MEETING.

Carter county needs more good roads, but whether the taxpayers of the county are willing to accept the plan devised by Roy M. Johnson, county commissioner, or the Federal aid plan, in connection with a bond issue will be decided at a mass meeting at Convention Hall Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Little headway was made at the meeting of business men and the commissioners at a noon luncheon at the Ardmore Hotel Friday. Discussion was had on the bond issue and on the methods of having work accomplished. Costs of roads, past experience and history of road building was gone into.

The first question to come before the mass meeting Thursday night will be whether a bond issue is the right method of providing funds for the road. Next will come the method of applying the fund and building the road.

Roy Johnson's Plan
Under the plans devised by Mr. Johnson, \$500,000 would be voted for general road improvement, each commissioner sharing alike in the distribution of the fund. Contract work would be limited to citizens of Carter county; work would be done by Carter county people; as much available material as possible would come from the reserve of Carter county. Thus, money voted by Carter county taxpayers would be spent in the county, and the county as a whole would benefit therefrom.

This plan has been adopted in many counties of Oklahoma, Texas, Missouri and other states. It has also been accepted by cities and municipalities where rush work was needed. There is no federal aid or money from the Federal Highway Commission forthcoming under this plan, and it would require not more than 60 days to get road work started.

Federal Aid Plan
In order to get aid from the government, the roads must be inspected and surveyed by government engineers; the roads must be built according to a standard, and the bids must be advertised in the state so that any company of engineers might enter into competition. Federal engineers will act in a supervisory capacity.

For each dollar voted and spent on a standard roadway, the commission donated an equal amount. Under this plan work is often delayed from 60

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HARDING WANTED
ONLY TO "FISH
AND PLAY GOLF"

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 17.—President Harding and members of his vacation party, who arrived in Hampton Roads on the Mayflower during the night, came ashore today, the President going to the Norfolk country club for a round of golf.

Mr. Harding and members of his party which included Attorney General Daugherty, Secretary Hoover, Undersecretary of State Fletcher and George Christian, his secretary, came ashore at 9 o'clock.

The President and Secretary Fletcher immediately went to the Norfolk country club for a game of golf, the two playing as a pair against Rear Admiral Rodman, commandant of the fifth naval district, and Lieut. Commander F. B. Pollard, ship's surgeon of the Mayflower.

Attorney General Daugherty and Secretary Hoover went fishing for trout off Thimble Shoals with a party from the Hampton Roads naval operating base.

Announcement that the President and his party would arrive at the naval base this morning, preceded them by wireless. The message added that the visit would be entirely formal and that "the presidential party wanted simply to 'fish and play golf and not be bothered.'"

His game concluded, the President and his party went back to the Roads.

CITIZENS OF ALL RURAL
COMMUNITIES INVITED
TO SING TUESDAY NIGHT

All will be merry when citizens of Ardmore and Carter county gather at Central Park to join in singing those songs dear to the hearts of the people. Otis Smith will be leader. The program will begin promptly at 7:45 o'clock.

Invitations have been extended to all rural communities to have a representation present. Copies of the songs will be distributed and words of others will be thrown on a screen.

SHACKLETON SAILS
FROM LONDON ON
ANTARCTIC VOYAGE

EXPLORER DEPARTS ON HIS TWO-YEAR VOYAGE AROUND ENDEBYR QUADRANT IN PARTY

London, Sept. 17.—The Quest, the small ship on which Sir Ernest Shackleton will explore the uncharted sections of the South Atlantic, the Pacific and the Antarctic seas, left the Thames today on the start of her two-year voyage. Large crowds gathered on the docks to wish Sir Ernest and his party a successful voyage.

The voyage of the Quest, the quaint little 200-ton ship which is carrying Sir Ernest Shackleton and his party to frozen mysteries in the South Polar Seas, has for its objectives not only oceanographic research, but the exploration of a petrified forest and the location of a "lost island"—Tuanki—the adjacent waters of which have not been sailed for more than 90 years. In addition, soundings will be taken of the ocean plateau surrounding a supposed underwater continent.

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GUN ACCIDENTALLY
DISCHARGED REX
BAXTER DECLARES

"The gun was accidentally discharged while we were fighting on the ground—scuffling over the gun."

Such is the declaration of Rex S. Baxter, special police officer, who is now in the Carter county jail on a charge of having shot and killed Ace Ford at the fair grounds late Thursday night.

County Attorney James Mather secured the declaration from Baxter Friday, but withheld information until other witnesses had been interviewed. Date of preliminary hearing has not been set.

Baxter further states that he was "jumped upon" by four men while standing near the water tank at the exhibition building. He recognized only one man, Ace Ford. While the men were on the ground, "scuffling over the gun," it was accidentally discharged, the statement concludes. Ford was on top of Baxter at the time, which accounts for the bullet having entered under the left rib and ranging upward into the abdomen.

Funeral services for Ford were held at his home, 429 Carter avenue, Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock with interment in Rose Hill cemetery. He is survived by his wife and one child.

SCHOONER MAJESTIC AND 32
PASSENGERS BELIEVED LOST

Bridgetown, Barbadoes, Sept. 17.—The schooner Majestic, commanded by Captain Barnes, with 32 passengers and crew from Demerara for Barbadoes, is believed to have been lost in the hurricane which swept over this region Sept. 8. The British warship Valerian returned here today from an unsuccessful search for the schooner.

WORTHY FAMILY IS
IN NEED OF HELP

A worthy man of lowly means, bereft of home and furnishing by fire is in need of those things which go to make a home. James Barron of the Chamber of Commerce, through the Ardmoreite, asks that all those persons of Ardmore having cast off furniture, home furnishings, cooking utensils and other home necessities contribute toward this cause. A phone call to the Chamber of Commerce is all that is needed.

Since fire destroyed the home of this man several weeks ago, he and his family have been living in a tent near the site of the fire. The wage earner has been handicapped by lack of steady employment, so times have not been so rosy since the fire.

HOUSE TAX BILL
UNDERGOES MORE
SENATE REVISION

Hotels Must Pay Ten Per Cent on Amounts Over \$5 and \$8 on Rooms to Transients Under Law.

CALDER WOULD TAX
DISTILLED SPIRITS

FINANCE COMMITTEE IS READY FOR SMOOT'S MANUFACTURERS SALES ASSESSMENT AND OTHER MEASURES

Washington, Sept. 17.—Under an amendment to the house tax bill, adopted today by the senate finance committee, hotels would be required to pay a tax of ten per cent on the amount in excess of \$5, charged transients for single rooms and on the amount of \$8 charged for double rooms.

Having practically completed revision of the bill, the finance committee was ready to receive Senator Smoot's proposal for a manufacturers sales tax and Senator Calder's plan to tax 2.5 per cent beer at the rate of \$5 a barrel.

The committee finally completed revision of the house measure agreeing to house proposals to increase the short term note authorization for the treasury from \$7,000,000,000 to \$7,500,000,000 and for simplification of the Liberty Bond tax exemption.

A new proposal adopted would require the payment by the government of interest at the rate of one half of one percent interest on taxes erroneously paid and refunded to the taxpayer.

The proposal originally brought forward by the house ways and means committee for the creation of a tax investigating committee to study the problems of taxing income and state and municipal securities now tax exempt was considered and finally rejected by the committee.

Senator Calder of New York a republican member, announced his intention to submit either to the committee or on the floor of the senate an amendment imposing a tax of \$6.40 a gallon on all distilled spirits withdrawn from all bonded warehouses for medicinal or any other purposes other than for manufacturing purposes. The New York senator said he intended to urge in the senate another amendment exempting from taxation the income received by owners of buildings if the amount did not exceed six per cent on the investment.

PROCUREMENT OF
DIRIGIBLE URGED

Washington, Sept. 17.—Procurement of a dirigible of the Zeppelin type from Germany if possible—to replace the lost ZR-2 for continuance of construction of the ZR-1 now building at Lakehurst, N. J., was recommended today to President Harding and Secretaries Denby and Weeks by the official national advisory committee for aeronautics.

Referring directly to the loss of the ZR-2 the committee informed the president and his cabinet officers that "the conclusion is certain that whatever was the primary cause of the accident the use of hydrogen was a contributing cause to the great loss of life."

The committee then pointed out that America possesses the only large store of helium which is known to exist, by the use of which airships can be more successfully developed by America than by any other country for commercial as well as military purposes. "It will be contrary to the true American spirit," the committee added in referring to the ZR-2 disaster, to abandon a conservative program because of one serious accident, when it is possible by studying the cause of the accident, to profit by any mistakes that were made."

Continued production of helium, the new gas used for inflating airships, was recommended by the committee of army and navy officers, Charles Marvin, chief of the weather bureau, Orville Wright, and Dr. Charles D. Walcott, secretary of the Smithsonian Institute, chairman.

NEW PLANE WILL BE
GIVEN TEST SUNDAY

The second built-in-Ardmore airplane will be given a test flight Sunday afternoon at the municipal flying field, when a name will be selected for the craft. Dorsey Askew will pilot the plane, carrying Arthur Oakley as a passenger.

The plane "Ardmore" built about six months ago will be used in an exhibition flight at the same time, and the person who selects the name for the new ship will be given a trip in either the new or the old plane.

Flight is scheduled for 3:30 o'clock and after the trial, cards will be passed to the visitors on which a name should be written. Judges at the field will decide on the name of the new ship. There will be no admission charges.

Undesirables Leave Town
During the past week more than a dozen women faced Police Judge Sullivan on charges of loitering and vagrancy, and were dismissed on condition that they leave town immediately. And they left without a word of protest, Judge Sullivan asserts.

MOTHER CLINTON RECEIVES
PRIZES ON EXHIBITS

One of the most enthusiastic exhibitors at the fair was Mrs. M. J. Clinton, 1332 10th St. She is a woman who has raised a large family of children to be grown. She is sixty-seven years old but to see her at the fair one would not think of her as being so old. She received a prize of \$10 on her exhibit of canned fruits and vegetables and first prize on a pair of hand knitted mittens and first prize on a pumpkin and a cornucopia.

AMERICA MOURNS
FOR HER DEAD WHO
FELL WITH ZR-2

IN DRIZZLING RAIN, CROWDS GATHER ROUND BIRDS OF 15 BLUE JACKETS AND THEIR OFFICERS.

New York, Sept. 17.—America today mourned her fighting dead who fell with the ZR-2.

Into the navy yard at Brooklyn, in drizzling rain pressed crowds of sorrowing men and women to gather round the birds of 15 blue jackets and their officers who met death in the English River Humber when the giant airship took its fatal plunge.

England honored the American dead as well as her own with solemn ceremonies in Westminster Abbey and elsewhere, but this afternoon Americans gathered to pay their own tribute to the heroes whose bodies were brought back to the home land yesterday on the British cruiser Dauntless.

Journeying here from Washington to be present when the words of parting were uttered, was the secretary of the navy, while British and French and Brazilian sailors whose warships were in port were invited to the ceremony.

Secretary Denby, accompanied by attaches of the British embassy arrived earlier, bearing with him fifteen blue jackets—personal tributes from the President of the United States and his cabinet. The British ambassador also sent flowers.

The secretary decided not to deliver an address, preferring that the ceremonies be confined to the solemn ritual prescribed by navy regulations and accorded American naval heroes ever since men of war flying the stars and stripes have sailed the seas.

Long before the gates to the yards were thrown open, crowds began to gather. Along Sands Street, paralleling the Brooklyn water front to the yard, shop keepers had made it a day of mourning, closing their doors and fating the front of their stores with the American colors and black crepe.

It had been planned to hold a memorial service on the Athletic field but heavy skies necessitated holding the ceremony in the mess hall. Police guards held back the crowds while American Blue Jackets carried the coffin to that building from the temporary chapel in which they had been placed last night.

Shortly before one o'clock, all the coffins had been placed on a common bier, stretching entirely across one end of the mess hall in front of the altar. Each coffin was draped with the American flag. Of the American seamen who died in the disaster, there was missing only the body of Machinist J. T. Hancock of Shields, Michigan, which was buried in England.

The white washed walls of the mess hall were draped with American flags when the guards of honor—picked seamen and marines, marched into the auditorium headed by a band. With bayonets fixed, seamen in navy blue, and marines in khaki took their places around the caskets of their comrades. The officers wore mourning bands on their sleeves and crepe on their sword hilts.

LATEST

Berlin, Sept. 17.—The treaty of peace between Germany and the United States has been formally ratified by the German reichsrath or upper chamber.

Logan, W. Va., Sept. 17.—Three hundred and twenty-five names were included in a blanket indictment charging murder, returned by a Logan county special grand jury today.

Dublin, Sept. 17.—Eamonn de Valera, replying to Lloyd George says that the Sinn Fein already has accepted the premier's invitation in his own exact terms.

Aberdeen, S. D., Sept. 17.—Mrs. Mary Anne Elliot, 102 years old, died here this morning. She lived in Inniskillen, Ireland, until 76 years ago.

Gairloch, Scotland, Sept. 17.—Several days must elapse before Premier Lloyd George will be able to attend any but the most urgent business says an official statement issued today quoting Mr. Lloyd George's physician and dentist who lanced the abscess which caused his illness.

Escaped Convict Caught
Luther B. Shores, an escaped convict from the state penitentiary at McAlester was arrested at Dillard early this week by J. R. Gault, state highway officer, who brought him to Ardmore to await transportation back to the penitentiary.

WEATHER

Oklahoma: Today and Monday, part cloudy; scattered showers.

ARRAIGNMENT OF
ARBUCKLE RESET
TO SEPTEMBER 26

Continuation Granted On Motion District Attorney Brady; Defense Made No Objection.

SEARCH CONTINUES
FOR DR. BEARSLEE

HOUSE PHYSICIAN WHO ATTENDED VIRGINIA RAPPE STILL BEING SOUGHT, THOUGHT TO BE ON HUNTING TRIP

San Francisco, Sept. 17.—The arraignment of Roscoe C. (Patty) Arbuckle in the court of Superior Judge Harold Louderback, on charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Miss Virginia Rappe, came up today, but was continued until Monday, September 26.

The continuance was granted on the motion of District Attorney Brady who said that a murder charge against Arbuckle awaited action by the police court and he decided to have such a hearing out of the way before the manslaughter charge was considered. The defense made no objection.

Arbuckle was led into the court room through a side door, and escorted to a seat at the attorney's table. The bailiff explained that the reason Arbuckle was not handcuffed and placed in the prisoners' dock was because he is not yet a prisoner of the sheriff and the police, who are holding him, sometimes bring prisoners into the court without handcuffs.

Several hundred persons gathered in the hall to see Arbuckle but most of them were held back by the police. Among those in the court room were members of the women's vigilance committee, which is made up of club women interested in keeping up with the authorities in the prosecution of crimes.

The county grand jury at its meeting Monday night is to consider evidence that certain witnesses were tampered with in the case of Roscoe (Patty) Arbuckle, accused of murder in connection with the death of Miss Virginia Rappe, motion picture actress. Harry M. Kelly, secretary of the jury announced today.

"The jury also expects to clear up doubtful points in the medical attention given Miss Rappe," Kelly said. "The testimony of the doctors who attended her may be heard."

The witness tampering investigation of the jury is fixed upon the failure of Miss Zeh Probst, one of the principal witnesses, to appear.

BROOM FACTORY
HERE IS ASSURED

The Cytes Broom Company of Lawton will open a branch factory here as soon as a suitable location can be obtained. It was announced Saturday by James Barron of the Chamber of Commerce. The firm will employ about ten persons.

The reason of coming to Ardmore is so that they will be nearer the raw materials and will have better transportation facilities for a business extension. The company now has a good business worked up in Southern Oklahoma, and it will extend to other points in this section and to South-eastern Oklahoma.

CHEROKEE INDIANS CLOSE
ANNUAL RELIGIOUS FEAST

Muskogee, Okla., Sept. 17.—Five hundred members of the Nighthawks, a division of the Keetowah Society of the Cherokee Indians, will tonight bring their annual religious feast to a close on the Red Bird Smith home-land 15 miles from Gore. It has been one of the largest meetings from the standpoint of attendance the Night Hawks have ever held for many years.

Forged Gets Ten Years
Muskogee, Okla., Sept. 17.—Pleading guilty to passing a forged check for \$10, D. C. Baker of Haskell, was today sentenced to ten years in the state penitentiary, the heaviest sentence ever imposed for an offense where the amount did not exceed \$10.

HASKELL TO SPEAK
ON NEXT SATURDAY

Democrats and Republicans of Carter county have been invited to attend a speech to be made at McAlester on next Saturday, Sept. 24, by former Governor Haskell, by Walter A. Evans, chairman of the Pottawatomie County Democratic Committee.

Governor Haskell has declined to make a partisan speech. Mr. Evans writes, but he has said he would make a talk to the people of Oklahoma irrespective of political belief.

The first definite information that former governor Charles Haskell would visit Oklahoma came here yesterday in a message from Scott Perrier dated Wichita Falls, Mr. Perrier who sent the message to Ardmore friends stated that Mr. Haskell will leave New York Thursday, and he will arrive in McAlester Saturday at noon and will speak Saturday night. All friends of the former governor in this section of the state are invited to go to McAlester to be present when the former fighting governor makes his first speech in the state after having left here some time ago.

PRICES RISE AND FALL
WITH JITNEY DRIVERS

Nothing changes so quickly as come prices, the observer has been led to believe. Take for instance, the fare to the fair grounds by service cars and jitneys.

On the opening day the price was a quarter; next day it was cut to a dime. Saturday noon it was cut to a nickel.

On the other hand, all of the cars did a "landlord" business and their reduction in price saved many people many long, hot weary steps.

PLANS FOR ROAD
RACE WILL COME
UP MONDAY NOON

OKLAHOMA CITY AUTO ASSOCIATION SHOWS INTEREST IN COUNTRY RUN FROM HERE DURING STATE FAIR

Plans for the Ardmore-Oklahoma City automobile race during the last days of the state fair will be discussed at a meeting of the Ardmore Automobile Dealers Association at the Ardmore Hotel Monday noon. Edgar Bell, secretary of the Oklahoma City Auto Association, will be in attendance.

Tom Cooper of the local association will preside at the meeting and outline the details of the race. James Barron of the Chamber of Commerce is communicating with officials and auto dealers in the cities and towns along the course, so that all will be in readiness when the date of the race is announced.

Mr. Bell telephoning Saturday morning stated that the Oklahoma City club had appointed a committee to assist in handling details from that end and assistance is forthcoming from the Chamber of Commerce there.

RAIL MAN WHO
SERVED U. S. IN
RUSSIA, IS HERE

The most interesting character that has visited Ardmore in months is Lieut. Col. Frank B. Parker of Fort Worth, Texas, who is here the guest of his sister, Mrs. G. A. Ramsey. He is accompanied by Mrs. Parker and their little son, Frank B. Jr.

Mr. Parker is a lieutenant-colonel. He was made so by the president of the United States during the world war. When it became evident that Russia had to be helped during the war, when that country was unable to operate its railway lines satisfactorily there was a demand for skilled railroad men from America and Mr. Parker being a practical railway man volunteered for the service. He was placed in charge of the Russian railway line through Siberia, a line 4,000 miles in length, built by the government, double tracked all the way and the finest line of road he says he ever saw.

This line was operated by Americans, an American telephone system was installed and the Russians saw an efficiency they had never before known and when Mr. Parker had finished his mission after three years of work the Russians offered him \$25,000 a year to remain in charge of the operation of the road. But that sum was not sufficient to induce him to remain away from his family in that country. He rendered a very valuable service when the loyal army was cut off from the rest of the world at the time of the revolution in Russia.

Lieutenant Colonel Parker says he found coal on top of the ground for the operation of his line of road, he found the country very rich in mineral deposits and these deposits have never been developed. He is of the opinion that when Russia's resources are developed that they will contribute much to the wealth of the world.

KIWANIS TO SHOW
VISITORS GOOD TIME

The Kiwanis Club of Ardmore will have as their guests, members of the Gainesville, Texas, Kiwanis Club on next Wednesday. This is a return visit by the clubmen, since the locals visited the Texas city some month or so ago.

Among the entertainments being planned for the visitors is luncheon at noon, golf, baseball, a tour of the city, during the afternoon and probably a dance at night.

Gin at Orr Closed Down

The cotton gin at Orr has been closed down for several days due to a blow out in one of the fans. Prior to the accident the gin was having a good run, it is said.

Priddy Has Largest Family at
County Fair During Week-End

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Priddy, with ten children, leads the list of registrations at the Ardmoreite booth at the fair grounds in the contest for the largest family. The prize for the largest family is a galvanneal tank made and donated by Frank Berryhill, sheet metal worker. The eldest child in the Priddy family is 18, and the youngest 18 months. Other registrations are:

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Craighead, with a family of nine children, the oldest 19 years and the youngest 4 years old. Mr. Craighead is the father of 19 children, ten of them by a former wife.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rathledge, eight children, the oldest twenty years old and the youngest four months old.

Mrs. T. C. Shaw, seven children, Mrs. J. R. Cole, five children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maddox, Lane Grove, Okla., seven children.

MAN TURNS GUN
ON SELF AFTER
KILLING WOMAN

Wylie Smith, Rig Builder in Haldton Field, Admits Shooting; Is in Critical Condition.

WERE TO HAVE BEEN
MARRIED MONDAY

WOULD RATHER SEE WOMAN DEAD THAN LIVING WITH SOMEONE ELSE SMITH TELLS COUNTY ATTORNEY

Because she refused to marry him, Wylie Smith, rig builder, shot and instantly killed Mrs. Nellie Strawn, then turned the gun on himself, inflicting wounds which will probably prove fatal, according to a statement made Saturday morning in his cell at the county jail. The shooting occurred on Main street of Haldton Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Smith is being held in jail. Attending physicians hold little hopes for his recovery since the bullet entered the left side of his head behind the temple and ranged upward.

A large crowd of people were on the streets at the time of the tragedy and many were panic stricken following the shooting. The murder occurred in front of the Brown grocery store near the Security State Bank.

Mrs. Strawn, with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Martin, was in the office of Mr. Martin, upstairs over the bank. Smith is said to have asked a man to ask Mrs. Strawn to come down stairs to see him. Few words followed their meeting, when Smith fired the fatal shot. Mrs. Strawn had been living with the Martin family for some time.

Smith Admits Killing
"Had rather see her dead than living with somebody else," Smith told County Attorney James Mathers Saturday morning.

In reciting the incidents leading up to the shooting, Smith said he first met Mrs. Strawn a number of months ago when she came to his shack in the oil fields dressed in man's clothing he came to know her very well, and associated with her frequently.

Smith said he persuaded Mrs. Strawn to live in the fields until she gained a divorce from her husband, W. D. Strawn, who was then in Texas. He further states that he provided her with money with which to gain a divorce, which was granted on Sept. 6 at Ardmore. He gave her money at other times, he said.

Marriage Date Set
The couple were to have been married on Monday, Sept. 13, Smith said. This was decided when he saw her on Thursday prior to the shooting. Thinking she had tried to evade him Friday he waited around the bank corner, think that she with the Martin connection between Africa and America.

Nineteen persons, representing each of the British self-governing dominions (Continued on Page Two)

FARMERS LEAGUE
WILL FIGHT FOR
NEW LEGISLATION

Shawnee, Okla., Sept. 17.—The Farmers and Laborers' Reconstruction League was formed here today at a meeting of farmer and labor representatives, the announced purpose of the new organization being to foster a program of state legislation which was outlined during the day. John Simpson, president of the Oklahoma Farmers' Union, was made chairman of the meeting and T. T. Harvey of Oklahoma City, secretary. Col. W. H. Harvey of Montone, Ark., was the principal speaker.

Nothing was said at the meeting as to whether the new organization would have a ticket in the field at the next state election, the discussions being confined to selection of a legislative program which the league would put forward.

It was estimated that five hundred delegates, about two thirds of them farmers, had registered Saturday. Each of the labor crafts in the state also was represented. Some of the crafts represented are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, while others are not. Approximately 178 leaders were attending the meeting.

The call for the meeting was issued about two weeks ago by Edgar Fenton, president of the Oklahoma State Federation of Labor.

Twenty One Babies Entered
In Contest at Fair Friday

There were twenty one entries in the baby contest Friday afternoon. This was one of the most interesting features of the fair.

The judges for this event were Mrs. Charles Von Wiese, Captain Maggie Nobbs of the Salvation Army and Miss Marjorie Williams.

First prize for baby boy, a gold ring went to Billie Max Guy, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Guy, and the prize for the baby girl, a gold necklace, to Virginia Rose West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh West.

Prizes were donated by the Kiwanis club of this city. Those who were entered in the contest were Oline Courier, Orbie Walker, Glensia Elaine Thompson, Virginia Rose West, Richard Morris Adair, Alvin R. Best, Mary Josephine Wilson, Margaret Alice Thompson, Earl Brooks Jr., Paul Willis Wasson, Norman Lucile Kirchner, James Marion Woodward, Mary Jane Cribbs, Molsene Francis May, Dorothy Mae Mitchell, O. A. Sparks Jr., Joseph Elbert Conley, Ray Lee Wilkins, Joseph Bryan Eggleston, Charline Wingfield, Billy Max Guy.